

UPDATE (11/5/19): The reception date for the Baltimore Watercolor Society has been rescheduled for Wednesday, December 11, 2019 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. It was previously advertised for December 5. The update has been made in the below release.



## City of Gaithersburg Press Release

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### For Immediate Release

## Baltimore Watercolor Society Presents Signature Members Exhibit at Kentlands Mansion

**Gaithersburg, MD (October 29, 2019)** Gaithersburg's *Arts on the Green* presents a collection of works by members of the Baltimore Watercolor Society in a juried exhibition at Kentlands Mansion. The exhibit is on display November 15, 2019 through January 13, 2020. The public is invited to meet the artists at a free Artists Reception on Wednesday, December 11 from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Established in 1855 by four female painters, [The Baltimore Watercolor Society](#) is one of America's oldest watercolor organizations. Today, the Society has grown to more than 600 Associate and Signature members. Its mission is to promote professional excellence in the creation and development of original works of art executed in aqueous media. Jurying of prospective members occurs twice a year. Work by Signature members has appeared in regional, national and international juried exhibits.

This exhibit is juried by Glen Kessler, a well-known local artist and art educator. Glen is an award-winning, internationally known painter whose work is displayed in public and private collections. He has been an instructor of art in many institutions and is currently active in The Compass Atelier art school in Rockville, MD.

Located at 320 Kent Square Road, the Mansion Gallery offers the opportunity to view art in the beautiful, timeless setting of this historic estate. Due to frequent rentals for private events, viewing hours are Monday through Friday by appointment only. Please call the Mansion at 301-258-6425 prior to your visit.

Please note that most of the artwork is for sale and all images are copyrighted by the artists. For more information, please contact Shellie Williams at 301-258-6350, e-mail [shellie.williams@gaithersburgmd.gov](mailto:shellie.williams@gaithersburgmd.gov), or visit Kentlands Mansion at [gaithersburgmd.gov](http://gaithersburgmd.gov).

The *Arts on the Green* visual arts program is funded in part by a grant from the Maryland State Arts Council (MSAC). To discover more about MSAC grants and how they impact Maryland's arts sector, visit [www.msac.org](http://www.msac.org).

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### **About *Arts on the Green***

*Arts on the Green* is the City of Gaithersburg's home for the performing and visual arts. Enjoy exhibits, concerts and theater performances at the [Arts Barn](#) and [Kentlands Mansion](#) and outdoor events and festivals on the park-like Green. Or join us for educational opportunities in one of our teaching studios, resident artist studios or theatre. Our historic buildings recall the charm of a bygone era, but our activities are anything but old fashioned. For more information, call 301-258-6394, find us at [gaithersburgmd.gov](http://gaithersburgmd.gov) or follow us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) or [Instagram](#) @ArtsOnTheGreen.

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